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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of David A. Morgenstern, et al.   Art Unit 1625
Serial No. 09/832,541
Filed April 11, 2001
Confirmation No. 3285
For PROCESS AND CATALYST FOR DEHYDROGENATING PRIMARY ALCOHOLS TO
      MAKE CARBOXYLIC ACID SALTS
Examiner T. Victor Oh
Allowed October 4, 2004
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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION TRANSMITTAL

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    This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37
C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. **REQUIRED SUBMISSION:**

      a. [ ] Previously submitted
          i.   [ ]   Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37
                    C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on _____

          ii.   [ ]   Consider the arguments in the Appeal
                    Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____

          iii. [ ]   Other_____

      b. [X] Enclosed
          i.   [X]   Amendment ____C____
          ii.   [ ]   Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
          iii. [ ]   Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
          iv.   [X]   Other: Petition for Withdrawal from
                Issue (37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2))

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2. MISCELLANEOUS

a. [ ] Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee required)

b. [ ] Other _____

3. FEES (Required when the RCE is filed)

a. [X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 19-1345:

     i.   [X]   RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) $790.00

     ii. [ ]   Extension of time fee

     iii. [ ]   Other _____

b. [ ] Check in the amount of $_____ is enclosed, along with a Fee Transmittal

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